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Re: United States Patent No. 6,973,729 B2

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For: "KNOCKOUT PUNCH WITH PILOT

HOLE LOCATOR"

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Our Ref: Greenlee Case 290 (913/39548)

Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a request for a Certificate of Correction with respect to one error found in the above-identified patent.

It is respectfully requested that this Certificate of Correction request be accepted and placed in the file of the above-noted patent.

If you have questions, please contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully,

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